

## REMARKS

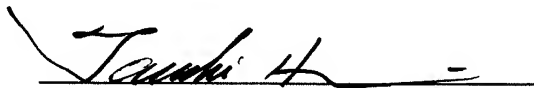
Claims 29-38 are pending. Claims 1-28 have been cancelled.

### Allowable Subject Matters

Applicants thank the Examiner for the indication of allowability of claims 29-38. No amendments have been made to these claims in the above amendment. The other claims have been cancelled. It is therefore believed that the application is now in condition for allowance.

To perfect the priority based on JP 2002-291610, Applicants therewith submit a certified translation of the Japanese application.

Respectfully submitted,

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